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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES

ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 123122

U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5)

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/IB03/004517			INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE October 14, 2003	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED October 15, 2002						
TITLE OF INVENTION USE OF AMIDE OR ESTER OF SUGAR AND OF FATTY ACID, FOR TREATING AND/OR PREVENTING DRY SKIN										
APPLICANTS FOR DO/EO/US Gilles RUBINSTENN; Jean-François MICHELET; Bruno BERNARD; Maria DALKO										
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:										
1.	$\boxtimes$	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
2.		This is a <b>SECOND</b> or <b>SUBSEQUENT</b> submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.								
3.		This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.								
4.	$\boxtimes$	The US has been elected (Article 31).								
5.	$\boxtimes$	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))								
		a.  is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).								
		b. 🗵 has been communicated by the International Bureau.								
		c. $\square$ is not required, as the applic	ation was filed in the United States	Receiving Office (RO/US).						
6.	$\boxtimes$	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))								
		a. 🔲 is attached hereto.								
		b.  has been previously submitted	ed under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).							
		c.   The International Application was filed in English.								
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))								
		a.   are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).								
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Ų,		c.  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.								
		d.  have not been made and will not be made.								
8.		An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).								
9.		An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).								
10.		An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).								
Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:										
11.	$\boxtimes$	An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.								
12.		An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.								
13.	$\boxtimes$	A preliminary amendment.								
14.	$\boxtimes$	An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.								
15.		A substitute specification.								
16.		A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.								
17.		A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.								
18.		A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
19.		A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).								
20.	$\boxtimes$	Other items or information: English language translation of the PCT Request								

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21.   The following fees	s are submitted:		CALCULATIONS	PTO USE ONLY					
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BASIC NATIONAL FEE (3			\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00 \$ 400.00					
SEARCH FEE (37 CFR 1.4	l92(D)(T)-(3)):			\$ 400.00					
International search fee (37	' CFR 1.445(a)(2)) p								
International search report the search fee is paid									
All situations not provided f	or above		\$ 500.00						
EXAMINATION FEE (37 C	FR 1.492(c)(1)-(2)):			\$ 200.00					
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Surcharge of \$130.00 for fue arliest claimed priority dat	urnishing the oath or	declaration later than 3		\$					
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CLAIMS TOTAL CLAIMS	NUMBER FILED 44 - 20	NUMBER EXTRA = 24	RATE x 50.00 =	\$ \$1200.00	<b>r</b>				
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Applicant claims small reduced by ½.	entity status. See 3	-	\$						
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			NATIONAL FEE =	\$2500.00					
Fee for recording the enclo	sed assignment (37 riate cover sheet (37	CFR 1.21(h)). The ass 7 CFR 3 28, 3.31), <b>\$40</b>	signment must be	\$					
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NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.									
SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO:									
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Date March 10, 2005 NAME: Joel S. Armstrong REGISTRATION NUMBER: 36,430									